

AN ACT
CONCERNING LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS FOR DIETETICS AS ESTABLISHED
OR APPROVED BY THE ACADEMY OF NUTRITION AND DIETETICS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

Section 1. Section 152A.2, subsection 1, Code 2014, is amended to read as follows:

1. An applicant shall be issued a license to practice dietetics by the board when the applicant satisfies all of the following:

a. Possesses a baccalaureate degree or postbaccalaureate degree with a major course of study in human nutrition, food and nutrition, dietetics, or food systems management, or in an equivalent major course of study which meets minimum academic requirements as established by the ~~American dietetic association~~ accreditation council for education in nutrition and dietetics of the academy of nutrition and dietetics and approved by the board.

b. Completes an ~~internship or preplanned professional experience program~~ accredited competency-based supervised experience program approved by the ~~American dietetic association~~ accreditation council for education in nutrition and dietetics of the academy of nutrition and dietetics and approved by the board.

c. Satisfactorily completes an the commission on dietetic registration of the academy of nutrition and dietetics examination ~~designed~~ approved by the board.

Sec. 2. Section 152A.3, subsection 2, Code 2014, is amended to read as follows:

2. Dietetics students who engage in clinical practice under the supervision of a dietitian as part of a dietetic education

~~program approved or accredited by the American dietetic association or a competency-based supervised experience program approved by the accreditation council for education in nutrition and dietetics of the academy of nutrition and dietetics.~~

Sec. 3. Section 152A.3, subsection 4, paragraph b, Code 2014, is amended to read as follows:

b. Conducting a teaching clinical demonstration in connection with a program of basic clinical education, graduate education, or postgraduate education which is sponsored by a dietetic education program or ~~accredited by the American dietetic association and carried out in an educational institution or its affiliated clinical facility or health care agency, or before a group of licensed dietitians~~ a competency-based supervised experience program approved by the accreditation council for education in nutrition and dietetics of the academy of nutrition and dietetics.

PAM JOCHUM

President of the Senate

KRAIG PAULSEN

Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 2083, Eighty-fifth General Assembly.

MICHAEL E. MARSHALL

Secretary of the Senate

Approved _____, 2014

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